

ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATE – BLACK POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF OMAHA

PREAMBLE:

The Black Police Officers Association of Omaha is a non-profit entity that exists to enhance diversity in the Omaha Police Department and bridge the gap between the community and law enforcement.

POLICY:

It is the policy of the Omaha Police Department (OPD) to recognize the Black Police Officers Association of Omaha (BPOA) as an affiliate organization. As such the BPOA is authorized to utilize the branding symbols of the OPD. The procedures below are printed as a reference for the benefit of the BPOA.

PROCEDURE:

I. Membership and Contact Information

- A. All OPD sworn officers are eligible for membership in the BPOA.
- B. BPOA can be reached via the contact information screen at www.bpoaofomaha.org.
- C. BPOA's mailing address is: PO Box 34357, Omaha, NE 68134.

II. Dues

- A. BPOA members are required to pay dues every pay period.

III. Benefits

- A. BPOA members are eligible for the following benefits:
 - 1. Training Opportunities
 - 2. Access to mentors and peer support
 - 3. Networking with officers of all ranks
 - 4. BPOA member family events

IV. Events

- A. BPOA provides funding for the following events:
 - 1. Omaha Teen Summit
 - 2. Annual Easter Egg Hunt
 - 3. Student Celebration Event
 - 4. Fall Family Outing
 - 5. OPD Candidate Written Test and Interview Preparation Courses
 - 6. Salem Baptist Church's Blessing of the Badge
 - 7. Northeast Precinct PAC Meeting

8. North Omaha Juneteenth Parade
9. Southeast Precinct SAFE Event

V. OPD Branding

- A. BPOA is authorized to use OPD logos, badges, and images.
 1. BPOA leadership shall contact the OPD Public Information Office for current logos, badges, and images as needed.

REFERENCES:

I. Previous OPD Orders

- A. Previous OPD General Orders include: #69-18.

II. PPM Update

- A. PPM Update #06-2018.